GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Home Department – Allegation of Corruption against Sri K. Ravindranatha Reddy, SIoP, Yerpedu PS, Chittoor District – Trapped on 29.07.2010 - Charge sheet filed by ACB – Acquitted the AO from ACB Court - Crl. Appeal filed by Govt., before the Hon'ble High Court - AO expired on 16.02.2022 – Abatement Orders – Issued.

HOME (SC.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.652.

Dated:13th June,2023.
Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.122/RCT-TCT/2010, dt. 23.07.2011.
2. G.O.Ms.No.78 & G.O.Rt.No.629, Home(SC.A) Dept.,dt.07.03.2013
3. Orders of the Court of the Judge, Special Court for Trail of Anti Corruption Bureau Cases in Rayalaseema Region at Kurnool in CC.No.9/2013, dt.30.01.2015 .
4. Govt. Memo No.1017/SC.A/A3/2010,dt.18.05.2015.
5. G.O.Rt.No.357, Home(SC.A) Dept., dt.31.05.2016.
6. Orders of the Hon'ble High Court of AP in Criminal Appeal No Appeal(SR) No. 19554/2015, dt.18.10.2022.
7. Representation of Smt. K.Saraswathamma, W/o of late K.Ravindranatha Reddy, SI.404/CT, dt.24.03.2023.
8. From the Director General of Police, AP, Mangalgiri, Lr.Rc.No.2740/T2/ 2010/ACB, dt.18.05.2023

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Andhra Pradesh has informed that Sri K. Ravindranatha Reddy, Sub-Inspector of Police, Yerpedu Police Station, Chittoor District was trapped on 29.07.2010 when he demanded and accepted the bribe amount of Rs.5,000/-. Due to retirement of AO on 31.10.2010, no sanction orders is required to prosecute the AO in the Court of Law, charge sheet is being filed in the Court by ACB and recommended to initiate departmental action for a major penalty against the Accused Officer for the violation of Rules 3(1) & (2) read with 9 (7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, read with A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Govt. have issued orders to initiate disciplinary proceedings against the A.O. Sri K. Ravindranatha Reddy, Sub-Inspector of Police, Yerpedu Police Station, Chittoor District (retired) for non submission of A.P.Rs under Rule 9 of APRPR,1980. After satisfactory with the written statement of defence submitted by the Charged Officer, in the reference 5th read above, Govt. have issued orders to drop further action against Sri K. Ravindranatha Reddy, SIoP (retired), Yerpedu PS, Chittoor District.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Accused Officer Sri K. Ravindranatha Reddy, (Retd.) Sub-Inspector of Police, (f) Yerpedu Police Station, Chittoor District was acquitted from the Special Judge for SPE& ACB Cases, Rayalaseema Region, Kurnool District vide CC.No.9/2013, dated 30.01.2015. Accordingly, in the reference 4th read above, Government have permitted to the Director General, ACB to file a criminal appeal before the Hon'ble High Court.

4. In the reference 6th read above, the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati has ordered that "under the circumstances as the respondent died, the criminal Appeal is dismissed as abated. As a sequel, miscellaneous applications pending, if any in this Criminal Appeal shall stand closed. While enclosing the above orders, in the reference 7th read above, Smt. K.Saraswathamma, W/o of late K.Ravindranatha Reddy, SI.404/CT has requested to release pensionary benefits and treating the suspension period as on duty for all proposes.

(P.T.O.)

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby order to abate all further disciplinary proceedings against late Sri K. Ravindranatha Reddy, (Retd.) Sub-Inspector of Police, (f) Yerpedu Police Station, Chittoor District under Rule 9(7) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, consequent on his demise on 16.02.2022 and treat the suspension period from 30.07.2010 to 31.10.2010 as On Duty under FR.54-B(2).

6. The Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

HARISH KUMAR GUPTA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri.
Copy to:
The Director General, Anti-Corruption Brueau, AP, Vijayawada.
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, AP Secretariat.
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

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SECTION OFFICER(SC)